

Mount Comfort,

FOR SALE.

SITUATED on Rappahannock in the county of Essex, within fifteen miles of Tappahannock and about the same distance from Urbanna and King and Queen Courthouse and very convenient to the post-office at Montague's Tavern—there are upwards of one hundred and fifty acres of land attached to this seat, a considerable part of which is wood land and heavily timbered—The improvements are, a dwelling house, forty feet by eighteen, a Kitchen, Smoke-House, Stable, Ice House, &c. on the Hill—And on the river bank, a store house, with a commodious Store and Counting-Room and an excellent Granary—all of which—except the Stable—have been recently built. Mount Comfort commands as good, if not the best view of the river of any seat on the Rappahannock, and the best fish and oysters may be had at the door with very little trouble—It is well calculated for a merchant, being in a populous and wealthy neighborhood, where it is believed five or six thousand pounds worth of goods might be retained annually—it would also be a convenient stand for a professional character—I would either sell on credit if the payments can be agreed on, or exchange for other lands without improvements.

For further particulars apply to Reuben M. Garnett, or to

Carters Wood,

Mount Comfort,

June 1, 1808

MATTRESSES

OF ALL SIZES AND KINDS, MADE and repaired, agreeably to order, in the large wooden house opposite the Old City Tavern, two squares below the market bridge, Richmond.

J. S. Pleasants.

May 31, 1808

Joseph Marx & Co.

Have on hand an assortment GERMAN OZNABURG, TICKLEBURGS, DOWLASS, and TOWELLING,

by the bale, box or piece. COGNAC BRANDY and MOLASSES. SACK SALT, coarse and fine. Which they will sell for cash, tobacco, or approved paper.

Richmond, April 28, 1808.

I AM desirous to exchange the following property, or any part thereof, as may be agreed on, for a small tract of good Land, in a healthy situation, with a dwelling house and other improvements, a good spring of water, and an agreeable neighborhood, at a distance of 30 to 100 miles up the country—To say for Houses in this city—Lands in Henrico county, joining the academy lands, and near this city—2,000 acres on Richmond creek, in Lincoln county, Kentucky—1,000 acres on the waters of the Ohio, in Mason county—and two tracts of Military Lands on the river Tennessee, each 866 2/3 acres.

Robert Mitchell,

Richmond, Feb. 6, 1808.

Penitentiary Store.

SHOES at the Manufacture of the Penitentiary have been lately REDUCED, considerably below their former prices.

D. F. BURR, Agent.

10th May, 1808.

To Aaron Burr, Esq.

SIR, TAKE NOTICE that I shall apply on the fifth day of the August term of Henrico county court, which commences on the first Monday in August next, to award commissions to take depositions in Kentucky to be read in evidence in three suits depending in said court, in which I am plaintiff and you are defendant.

Your obedient servant,

Robert Miller.

July 5, 1808.

To Aaron Burr, Esq.

SIR, TAKE NOTICE that I shall apply on the 5th day of the August term of Henrico county court, which commences on the first Monday in August next, to award commissions to take depositions in Kentucky to be read in evidence in a suit depending in said court, in which I am plaintiff and you are defendant.

Your obedient servant,

Henry Schroeder.

July 5, 1808.

Gallego, Richard & Co.

HAVING NO LONGER ANY CONCERN IN THE

Columbian Mills,

COMMONLY CALLED

ROSS'S MILLS,

Inform their friends and the public in general, that any WHEAT sent to them by water, from the upper country, will be received at THEIR MILLS ON THE CANAL; and any wheat sent them by LAND, will be received at a convenient lumber house contiguous to their counting room.

Richmond, July 11, 1808.

TO RENT

And possession given the first day of October next,

The Tenement,

OCCUPIED by Alexander Plainville, next door below Samuel Pleasants' Book-Store. For particulars, apply to

WILLIAM COOK.

Richmond, 1st July, 1808

DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership of the subscribers, is, by mutual consent, this day dissolved. All persons indebted to said concern, will make payment or give bond to Ezekiel Levy, who alone is fully authorized to settle the said concern and grant discharges; those who have claims will apply to him for payment.

Ezekiel Levy.

John Edwards.

Richmond county, Virginia, }
June 6, 1809.

Wirt's Speeches.

The Editor of the Argus has lately published the SPEECHES of WILLIAM WIRT, Esq. on the trial of Col. AARON BURR, and others—With a portrait by St. Memin.

For Sale,

A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, lying in the county of Powhatan, containing by a late survey, Five Hundred and Forty One Acres—two hundred and seventy six acres of which is prime woodland—about 20 acres of first rate Meadow Land, which may be rendered very valuable with a small expense. This is the tract whereon Col. Wm Mayo, late of Powhatan county, dec'd. lived, lying about 3 miles above Powhatan courthouse, within four of James and four of Appomattox rivers, in a healthy neighborhood and convenient to several merchant mills. This land is well watered, with excellent springs, and is suitably adapted to the balance of corn, wheat and tobacco.

The improvements are a Dwelling House 43 by 22 feet, with a passage and three rooms on the first floor, and a passage with two rooms on the upper, with a twenty two feet square wing with two rooms, some necessary out buildings—all of which want some repairs.

I shall proceed to offer this land for sale at Sea-ville, the seventeenth day of August next, being Powhatan court day, on the following terms—The sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds cash in hand, on the day of sale, and for the balance, a credit of two years will be given the purchaser; bond with approved security will be required, carrying interest from the day of sale, if not punctually paid; also a deed of trust on the said land to secure the payment of the balance.

It is deemed needless to say any thing more, as it is presumed, that those who may wish to purchase, will first view the premises, which will be shown by Capt Benja. Mealy, or Mr. Thos. T. Swann, living near there—or to the Subscriber living near Powhatan Courthouse.

WM. MAYO, Junr.

Powhatan County, June 20, 1808.

By the Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia,

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is represented to the executive, that Henry Thacker, David Thacker and Elisha Thacker, late of the county of Louisa, and who were committed to the jail of the district court holden at Charlottesville, charged with highway robbery, have escaped from the said jail on the night of the 19th instant; and whereas it is also represented to the executive that Reuben Marshall, late of the county of Albemarle, who was committed to the jail of said county charged with maiming and putting out the eyes of Francis Taliaferro, has also, on the night aforesaid, escaped from the jail of said county of Albemarle; I have therefore thought fit, with the advice of the council of state, to issue this proclamation, hereby offering a reward of one hundred dollars each for apprehending and conveying to the jail of the district court aforesaid, the said Henry Thacker, David Thacker and Elisha Thacker. And I do also hereby offer a reward of one hundred and fifty dollars to any person or persons who shall apprehend and convey to the aforesaid jail of the county of Albemarle, the said Reuben Marshall. And to the end that the laws may be duly executed, and justice administered by the punishment of such crimes as the culprits aforesaid are charged with, I do moreover enjoin all officers, civil and military, and exhort the good people of this commonwealth to use their best endeavors to apprehend and convey to the jails respectively as aforesaid the said Henry Thacker, David Thacker and Elisha Thacker, and Reuben Marshall.

Given under my hand with the seal of the (L. S.) commonwealth annexed, at Richmond, this 25th day of June, 1808.

Signed,

Wm. H. Cabell.

Henry Thacker is slender, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches high, very narrow faced, as are also the other two, all three being brothers. David Thacker is very slender, about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high. Elisha Thacker is also very slender, and perhaps about the height of David. Reuben Marshall is an active fellow, about 36 years of age, 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, black eyes and light hair, and tolerably proportioned. He speaks quick, is impudent and subject to drink hard.

MYER MARKS,

Respectfully informs the Parents & Guardians of Children, that he has

OPENED

A DAY SCHOOL,

In the cross-street leading to Court's Ferry, a few doors below Joshua West's coach shop, where he will teach READING, WRITING and ARITHMETIC. He assures those who think proper to favor him with their children, that the strictest attention will be paid both to their morals and education. His School room is in a pleasant and healthy situation. The terms are such, that he believes will meet with the approbation of all.

English Grammar will be taught.

Richmond, July 8, 1808.

RICHMOND

Turnpike Company.

A meeting of the directors of the Richmond Turnpike Company, on Thursday evening the 7th of July, 1808.

Resolved, That all shares of delinquent stockholders in this company, be sold at the Swan tavern in this city, on Monday the 15th day of next month, at 5 o'clock, P. M. without reserve, and that the same be published in all the newspapers of this city.

Resolved, That a call of 5 dollars on each share of the stockholders in the company be made, to be paid to the treasurer on or before the 15th of next month.

Teste, N. Sheppard, Clk.

Richmond, July 10, 1808.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed to us by Richard C. Pollard to secure the payment of a debt due to Murphy, Brown & Co. as therein expressed, will be sold, to the highest bidder, for the best price that can be obtained in ready money, at Mrs. Ann S. Hopkins's, in the county of Nelson, on Saturday the 6th day of August next,

Four Slaves, to wit:

Daniel a negro man, Phillis a woman, Squire a boy, and Pallas a girl, but as we are only trustees for the benefit of others, we will only warrant the title as to ourselves and those claiming under us.

William F. Carter.

Robert Franklin.

Warminster, July 6, 1808.

A New Novel,

JUST RECEIVED AT S. PLEASANTS' BOOK STORE.

CORINNA,

OR ITALY;

A New Novel, by Mad. De Stail Holstein in 3 vols.

ON Thursday the 8th of August next, will be offered for SALE, for cash, at John Anderson's tavern in New Canton,

Five Negro Slaves, viz.

Beck, Maria, Milley, Sam and Aggy, conveyed to the subscribers as trustees, by Col. Wm. Cannon, to secure a sum of money due by him, to Daniel Bagby and Robert Hill's representatives and others, as is in said deed expressed. As the subscribers are only trustees, they will convey only such title as they have by virtue of such deed.

William Guerrant.

Thomas Pittman.

New Canton, June 25, 1808.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed by Robert White, for the purposes therein mentioned, will be sold, to the highest bidder, on the premises, for ready money, on Saturday the 6th day of August next,

A Tract of Land,

Lying in the county of Henrico, containing 86 3/4 more or less, it being the land purchased by Mrs. Mary White of Philip Turpin, and adjoining the lands of Elisha Harwood and Joseph Price.

Isam Goddin, } Trus-
W. M. Lewis, } tees.

July 8, 1808.

Buckingham County, June

Court, 1808.

Thomas and Francis Deane, for the benefit of Archd. Womack, Plaintiffs,

AGAINST

John Francis, Silas Flournoy and Samuel Drury M. Allen, as joint partners of Hughes Allen & Company, Defendants.

ON the motion of the plaintiffs by counsel, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendants, Drury M. Allen and Silas Flournoy, are not inhabitants of this state. It is ordered and decreed, that unless they shall appear here on or before September court next, and answer the bill of the plaintiffs, the court will then proceed to take the same for confessed as to them, and decree the matter thereof accordingly; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in some public newspaper of the city of Richmond for two months successively, and another copy be posted up at the front door of the courthouse of this county.

A copy.—Teste,

R. ELDRIDGE, Jr. D. C.

Strayed or Stolen,

FROM the subscriber living near Wm M. Watkins's store, in Charlotte County,

A BAY HORSE,

about four feet eight or nine inches high, supposed to be about nine or ten years old, marked as nearly as can be recollected, as follows: a small star in his forehead, some saddle spots, a small piece off of one of his upper eyelids. He is also supposed to have been docked. His usual gait is pacing.

A reasonable reward will be given to any person who will return the said horse or secure him so that I get him again.

John H. Rice.

N. B. He was missing the 2d or 3d day of this month.

June 18th, 1808

20 Dollars Reward.

Runaway from the Subscriber living in Halifax county at the fork of Dan and Banister rivers, on or about the 23d day of August last, SHADRACK, a negro man slave, aged between thirty five and forty years. He is a sensible well informed fellow, is an excellent house servant, to which business and that of a groom he was principally applied for some time by Capt. John A. Fawkes his late master, previous to my purchasing him of his executors, which was only two days before his elopement.

His complexion is not entirely black, but yellowish, yet of the negro yellow; has a defect in the right eye which is nearly if not quite blind, occasioned by an inflammation, and both eyes generally show inflamed symptoms—he also has had an arm broken, but this will not be perceived without particular examination—has a bold, open appearance, is well made, about five feet six or seven inches high, as well as recollects—uncommonly placid and conversable for a slave, and capable if he attempts it of much deception. He carried away with him a considerable variety of good clothes, a snuff colored cloth coat is particularly recollected, is very fond of dress, and it is expected will appear well as to that article and attempt to pass as a free man; to effect which, it is probable, the indulgence afforded him by his late master and particularly the confidence placed in him in his last illness, was made use of to supply himself with cash—and that he has since procured from some evil disposed person false papers against which the public are cautioned in confiding. The above reward will be paid to any person delivering him to me, at my residence, or securing him in any jail so that I get him again as well as all legal and reasonable expenses.

January 4, 1808.

William Owen.

Royster & Bohannan

Have For Sale, at their Store near the Market Bridge, Richmond,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Groceries,

—AMONG WHICH ARE—
Brown Sugar in hhd's Whiskey for the bbly or tierce
and bbls
Loaf Sugar, in do
Best Green Coffee
Imperial, and
Young Hyson TEAS,
Chocolate, by the box
Pepper
Ginger
Mustard
W. I. Rum
Jamaica do
N. England do
Malasses by hhd
Sherry and Malaga
Wine
Holland and Country
Gin
Spanish Segars by box
or retail
Queen's Ware
Soap and Candles by box
Leiper's Snuff
Writing Paper
Wrapping do
Decanters
Tomblers
Wine Glasses
Leading Lines
Bed Cord, &c &c &c

Together with a number of other articles too tedious to enumerate—which they will sell low for cash, country produce, or approved paper in town.

It is earnestly requested that those who have long standing accounts, will settle them immediately, as no longer indulgence can be given.

27 June, 1808.

Blank Notes

AND POWERS OF ATTORNEY, used in depositing stock in the Bank of Virginia, for sale at the office.

PATENT MEDICINES,

FOR SALE

at the Argus Book-Store.

PUBLIC confidence has never been more deliberately and firmly reposed, and perhaps in no instance more fully, than it appears in the efficacy of HAMILTON'S WORM LOZENGES, prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by HANNAH LEE, no. 56, Maiden-lane, New York And in Richmond, (only) at S. Pleasants' Printing-office.

The proprietor has lately presented to the public the testimony of the Hon. A. C. Hanlon, Chancellor of Maryland, the Rev. Mr. Molther, and of other distinguished and respectable characters. The following cases, of more recent occurrence, are now respectfully submitted.

SINGULAR OCCURRENCES.

THE wife of Mr. Wm. Stillwell, merchant, Water street, New-York, had been in a poor state of health for several years past, and was often confined to her chamber by indisposition: her symptoms were various, though generally attended with great debility; sometimes they were supposed to indicate dropsy, at others a disease of the liver. Having suffered a very severe attack, without obtaining any relief from her physician, and almost despairing of recovery, she was induced to make trial of Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges; having heard of their performing cures in several complaints that could not be accounted for. Two doses were taken, which brought away a large worm, nearly half a yard in length, and a great quantity of matter evidently pieces of worms, &c. On taking the third or fourth dose, an entire animal shaped like a crab, was expelled: its parts were examined with the aid of a microscope, when the claws, feet, &c. appeared perfectly formed; different in but few respects from the common crab. Mrs. Stillwell began from that time to recover her health;—three months have since elapsed, and she has been free from her former complaints, and has acquired a degree of health and strength which for years before she had been a stranger to. She being free to extend the knowledge of a medicine from which so much benefit has been received, has authorised Mrs. Lee, the present proprietor, to state these particulars for the good of others.

New-York, June 5, 1807.

Philadelphia, May 22, 1806.

TO A. LEE.

Having in a most singular manner, experienced in my family the astonishing efficacy of Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges, prepared by the late Mr. Lee, I feel it my duty to add the following curious case to the list of remarkable cures performed by that celebrated medicine. My daughter at the age of 17 months was taken ill with those symptoms which are supposed to denote worms: after having tried a number of things which are said to be good in such cases, without any benefit, we had the attendance of a respectable physician; but she still continued to decline in health, and at the end of six months became so weak that she could not walk, nor keep food on her stomach, it was so extremely disordered. At this interesting period, one of our neighbours recommended your Lozenges so earnestly, we were induced to send to Mr. Birch's for a box of them; on her taking the third dose, according to the printed directions, there came from her a living animal about three quarters of an inch long and of a most frightful appearance, being very white, with a great number of legs, and something which resembled wings, by which it appeared to spring; and which it did repeatedly, to our great surprise, about the same distance that a small toad can hope on the ground. Its form was altogether unknown to every person who saw it. It lived in water about 18 hours. We afterwards put it in spirits, and it is now in the possession of Dr. Bleight of this city. The child grew better from that day; in a very short period began to walk again, and is now in perfect health.

Yours &c. Wm. BRADLEY,

Callowhill street, between 8th and 9th sts. Any person may be satisfied of the accuracy and authenticity of this singular occurrence, by making enquiry in the neighborhood: many of the neighbors saw the creature alive, and are well acquainted with the above particulars.

W. B.

Among the symptoms attending worms, are disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums—itching in the nose and about the seat—convulsions and epileptic fits and sometimes privation of speech—starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep—irregular appetite; sometimes loathing food and sometimes voracious; purging, with slimy and foetid stools; Vomiting; Large and hard belly; Pains and sickness at the stomach; Pains in the head and thighs, with loss of spirits; Slow fever, with small and irregular pulse; A dry cough; Excessive thirst; Sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance, and sometimes the face bloated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms, should have immediate recourse to

HAMILTON'S

WORM DESTROYING LOZENGES,

which have been constantly attended with success in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent the "vomiting and purging of children," a dreadful disorder which, annually destroys thousands of the infant part of our citizens.

Children generally take this medicine with eagerness; having a pleasing appearance and an agreeable taste.

FOR SALE AS ABOVE.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of

Mulard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Rheumatic Gravel, Lumbago, Numbness, White Swelling, Chills, Sprains, Bruises, Pain in the Face and Neck, &c.

"AN Ounce of Prevention is worth a Pound of Cure."

For the prevention and cure of Bilious and Malignant Fevers is recommended

Hahn's Anti-Bilious Pills.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation, and of every age.

Hamilton's Elixir.

A sovereign remedy for Cold, Obsolete Coughs, Asthma, Sore Throats, and approaching Consumptions.

To Parents who may have children afflicted with

The Hooping Cough.

This discovery is of the first magnitude, as it affords immediate relief, checks the progress, and in a short time entirely removes the most cruel disorder to which children are liable. The Elixir is so perfectly agreeable, and the dose so small, that no difficulty arises in taking it.

The Restorative Powder for the

Teeth and Gums.

HAHN'S GENUINE EYE WATER, A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eye, whether the effect be natural weakness or of accident, speedily removing inflammations, discharges of rheum, dunnets, itching and films on the eyes; never failing to cure those maladies which frequently succeed the small-pox, measles and fevers, and wonderfully strengthening to weak sight. Hundreds have experienced its excellent virtues when nearly deprived of sight.

Tooth-Ache Drops,

The only remedy yet discovered, which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe inflammation.

June 1, 1808.

Richmond Tile Manufactory.

THE subscriber having procured the exclusive right to manufacture in this and several other states Harwood's much improved Patent Tile for covering houses, and at considerable expense erected the necessary buildings, &c. for carrying on that useful business extensively, now offers to supply, at a short notice, any quantity that may be required, at the moderate price of Thirty Five Dollars per thousand, delivered at his factory.

He can with confidence, founded on actual experiment, in the covering of about 20 houses in this city, assert, that houses can be covered with this tile as cheap in the first instance, as with shingles of the first quality, and when the security against fire, the difference of insurance, the durability and particular construction on these tiles to resist the most penetrating rains and snows are considered, he cannot doubt of meeting with considerable encouragement. It requires only the examination of a well covered roof to convince the most prejudiced mind of their superiority to any other tile heretofore made, or to the best slate, and will cost less than the latter, after paying the expense of water carriage to almost any part of this continent.

Particular attention will be paid to orders from other towns, and in all cases where they are shipped, he will deliver them whole and sound, along side of the vessels, at the expense of cartage only to the purchasers. Any person skilled in the art of tiling, will put on those tiles with great facility, but where they cannot be procured, he can engage a few here who have had some experience, and will go a moderate distance, if the job is of sufficient magnitude and their travelling expenses paid.

BENJAMIN DU VAL.

Richmond, March 12, 1808.

N. B. I wish to sell Patent Rights in several other states.

wif. B. D.

Peter Guerrant,

AGAINST

John Fowler and Jordan Harris,

Defendants.

BY virtue of a commission issued from the superior court of chancery for the Richmond district, in the above suit, I shall on the eighth day of next month, (August,) at John Anderson's tavern in New Canton, in the county of Buckingham, between the hours of 5 in the morning and 7 in the evening of that day, take the depositions of William Guerrant, Robt. Moseley and others, to be read as evidence in the suit in chancery, now depending in the said superior court of chancery, wherein I am plaintiff and you are defendant.

Peter Guerrant.

To Messrs. JOHN FOWLER, residing in Kentucky, and JOHN HARRIS.

July 4th, 1808.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RUNAWAY from the subscriber some time in January last, a negro man named BILLY. He is a middle aged man, and about the common size. The third finger of one hand is cut off and has five or six large marks across his breast. It is supposed he will make to the neighborhood of Williamsburg. He was purchased of Mr. John P. Shields of Richmond, by the subscriber, who resides in Giles county, who will pay the above reward and all reasonable expenses, to any person who will deliver the negro to me, or secure him in any jail, so that I get him again. All masters of vessels and others are forewarned from harboring or carrying